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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)  
414.013/09504869

In re Application of James E. Curry, et al

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For: SPATIAL SOUND CONFERENCE SYSTEM AND APPARATUS

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

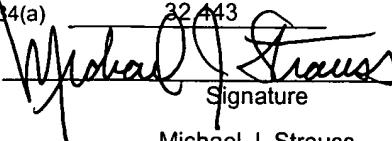
- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
 Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  
 The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.  
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 06-2375 under 09504869 .

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the  applicant/inventor.

- assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).  
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Signature

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